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The Honorable Kimberly D. Bose  
Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street N.E., Room 1A  
Washington, D.C. 20585

RE: Standards for Business Practices of Public Utilities (Docket No. RM 05-5 et al)

Dear Ms. Bose:

The North American Energy Standards Board ("NAESB") herewith submits this report to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission") to supplement the February 19 Version 002.1<sup>1</sup> Wholesale Electric Quadrant ("WEQ") standards filing: "Standards for Business Practices of Public Utilities (Docket Nos. RM05-17-000 and RM05-5-000)."

This submittal completes the ratification record for the standards submitted on February 19, 2009. No new standards are included in this submittal.

The cover letter, report and enclosure are being filed electronically as a single document in Adobe Acrobat® Print Document Format (.pdf). The cover letter, report and enclosure are also provided in Microsoft Word 2003 format. The filing is also available on the NAESB web site (www.naesb.org). Please feel free to call me at (713) 356-0060 or refer to the NAESB website (www.naesb.org) should you have any questions or need additional information regarding the NAESB WEQ Version 002.1 standards.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rae McQuade*

Ms. Rae McQuade  
President & COO, North American Energy Standards Board

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<sup>1</sup> NAESB WEQ Version 002.1 Standards for Business Practices of Public Utilities, Docket Nos. RM05-17-000 and RM05-5-000, available at [http://www.naesb.org/pdf4/ferc021909\\_weq\\_v002.1\\_with\\_appendices.pdf](http://www.naesb.org/pdf4/ferc021909_weq_v002.1_with_appendices.pdf) (submitted February 19, 2009).



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Enclosure (all documents and links available publicly on the NAESB web site – [www.naesb.org](http://www.naesb.org)):

Appendix B      Ratification Ballots and Results Links

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**Standards for Business Practices and                    )**  
**Communication Protocols for Public Utilities        )**

**Docket No. RM 05-17-000**  
**Docket No. RM 05-5-000**

**REPORT OF THE NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY STANDARDS BOARD**

The North American Energy Standards Board ("NAESB") is voluntarily submitting this supplemental report in accordance with the Commission's Order Nos. 890, 890-A and 890-B in the above referenced docket, as well as FERC Order No. 676. This report includes the results of the ratification and replaces Appendix B of the February 19, 2009 Version 002.1 Wholesale Electric Quadrant ("WEQ") standards filing. The results of the ratification address NAESB business practices related to the Commercial Timing Table (WEQ-004 Appendix D). The business practices were ratified according to the NAESB procedures on March 11, 2009. The standards can be downloaded from the NAESB home page ([www.naesb.org](http://www.naesb.org)).

Appendix B – Links to Ratification Ballots and Ratification Results

Date of Ballot	Link to Ballot	Link to Ratification Results	Recommendations Ratified that Resulted in V002.1 Standards or Standard modifications
11-14-08	<a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408ballot.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408ballot.doc</a>	<a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=rat_weq121508tally.xls">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=rat_weq121508tally.xls</a>	Recommendation 2008 WEQ Annual Plan Item 2(b)(iii)(1-3) <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3_rec_redline.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3_rec_redline.doc</a> (Redline) <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3_rec_clean.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat111408_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3_rec_clean.doc</a> (Clean) Final Action: <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=fa_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=fa_2008_weq_api_2biii_1_3.doc</a>
12-11-08	<a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108ballot.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108ballot.doc</a>	<a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=rat_weq011209tally.xls">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=rat_weq011209tally.xls</a>	Recommendation 2008 WEQ Annual Plan Items 2(a)(iv)(3), 3(a)(vii), and 6(l) <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108_weq_2008_api_2aiv_3_3avii_6l_rec_redline.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108_weq_2008_api_2aiv_3_3avii_6l_rec_redline.doc</a> (Redline) <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108_weq_2008_api_2aiv_3_3avii_6l_rec_clean.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=weq_rat121108_weq_2008_api_2aiv_3_3avii_6l_rec_clean.doc</a> (Clean) Final Action: <a href="http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=fa_weq_2008_api_2aiv3_3avii_6l.doc">http://www.naesb.org/member_login_form.asp?doc=fa_weq_2008_api_2aiv3_3avii_6l.doc</a>
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